them. At the Central level the LTAP is being monitored and reviewed by the Committee of Secretaries. The last meeting of the Committee of Secretaries was held on 12.5.1997. The Planning Commission also held meetings to examine relaxations require for implementation of LTAP.

Million Wells Scheme in Andhra Pradesh

4218. SHRI V. HANUMANTHARAO: Will the Minister of RURAL AREAS AND EMPLOYMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Million Wells Scheme has been fully implemented, if so, the amount of funds spent on this scheme in 1995-96;

(b) the States which received maximum assistance under the Million Wells Scheme;

(c) the amount released for Andhra Pradesh in 1995-96 for this scheme; and

(d) the details of allocation of funds for Andhra Pradesh under the scheme for 1996-97?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RURAL AREAS AND EMPLOYMENT (SHRI CHANDRADEO PRASAD VARMA): (a) to (c) million Wells Scheme (MWS) is being implemented throughout the country including Andhra Pradesh. The allocation under the Scheme are made on the basis of proportion of rural poor in a state to the total rural poor in the country. The details at the Central assistance released and funds utilised under Million Wells Scheme (MWS) during 1995-96 are given in the Statement (*See* below).

(d) The Central allocation under MWS during 1996-97 to Andhra Pradesh was Rs. 3473.71 lakhs.

Statement

Statewise details of funds released and expenditure incurred under million wells scheme during 1995-96.

(Rs. Lakhs)

Sl. No.	State/UTs	Funds release	Expenditure incurred
1	2	3	4
1.	Andhra Pr.	3473.70	2608.25
2.	Arunachal Pr.	29.02	71.46
3.	Assam	1143.53	666.70
4.	Bihar	6813.55	5719.22
5.	Goa	38.53	12.23
6.	Gujarat	1275.13	1494.06
7.	Haryana	306.30	168.40
8.	Himachal Pr.	122.43	184.29
9	Jammu & Kash.	189.02	216.89
10.	Karnataka	2332.44	3241.76
11.	Kerala	1528.27	1542.52
12.	Madhya Pr.	4401.69	4766.37
13	Maharashtra	3786.82	3416.04
14	Manipur	37.65	99.18
15.	Meghalaya	42.20	42.12
16.	Mizoram	22.53	40.27
17.	Nagaland	57.33	0.00
18.	Orissa	2817.99	4322.29
19.	Punjab	0.00	0.00
20.	Rajasthan	1828.74	825.77
21.	Sikkim	41.73	104.46
22.	Tamil Nadu	3140.16	4114.56
23.	Tripura	89.06	123.77
24.	Uttar Pr.	10965.30	11988.78
25.	West Bengal	3232.94	7341.71
26.	A&N Islands	16.56	9.35
27.	D&N Haveli	4.16	8.24
28.	Daman & Diu	6.76	0.00
29.	Lakshadweep	10.60	0.00
30.	Pondicherry	10.32	0.16
	Total	4776.4	53828.85

Bus Accidents on Highways

4219. SHRI LAKKHIRAM AGARWAL: Will the Minister of SURFACE TRANSPORT be pleased to state:

(a) the number of bus accidents on National Highways in each State during the last three years;

(b) the number of persons killed in these accidents;

(c) the reasons for these accidents; and